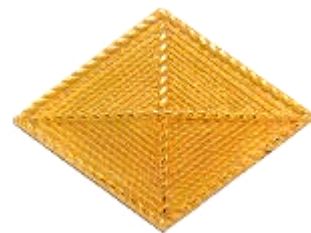




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SERVICEMEMBERS GROUP LIFE INSURANCE (SGLI) COMBAT ZONE REFUND

1. Effective 1 Feb 2006, Soldiers deployed to OIF or OEF are entitled to **\$150,000 of free SGLI** coverage. DFAS will reimburse SGLI premiums on the LES.
2. Soldiers will be refunded for the first \$150,000 of SGLI. For example, if a member had \$400,000 of coverage, from 1 Feb - 30 Jun 2006, the refund will be \$10.75 per month, \$3.25 per \$50,000 plus \$1 for the traumatic injury insurance (T-SGLI). From 1 Jul - 31 Aug 2006, the refund will be \$11.50 per month, \$3.50 per \$50,000 plus \$1 for the T-SGLI. The refunds will be tax free with the limits of CZTE.
3. Refunds are scheduled to begin by Sep 2006. When the reimbursement starts, Soldiers will receive a payment every three months under the allowances section of their LES.
4. These changes will not affect coverage under Family SGLI (FSGLI).

For more information regarding this and other finance questions, call or stop by the local finance office.

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